

Docket No. 217865US0PCT



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Haruji SAWADA, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/031,569

GAU: 1651

FILED: January 22, 2002

EXAMINER: H. J. LILLING

FOR: CHOLESTEROL-LOWERING AGENTS, SECONDARY BILE ACID PRODUCTION INHIBITORS
AND FOODS AND DRINKS

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is hereby requested that **fourth and fifth one-month** extensions of time be granted to January 29, 2006, for

- ☐ filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- ☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- ☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- ☐ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
- ☒ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on: June 29, 2005. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed in lieu of an Appeal Brief.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$1,140.00 is enclosed herewith by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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